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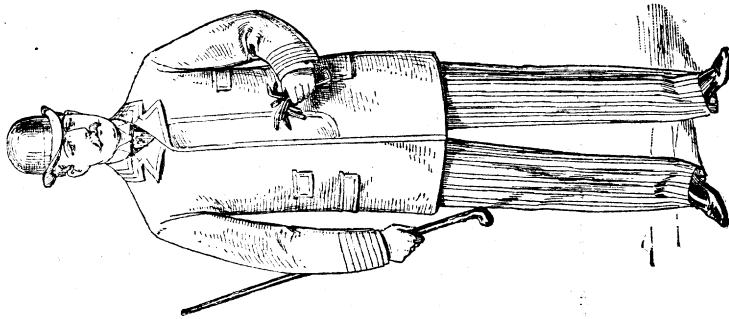
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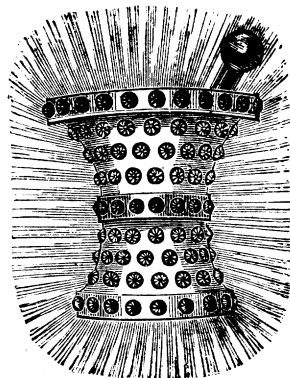
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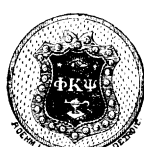
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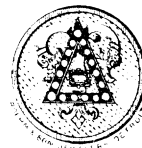
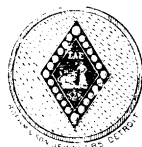
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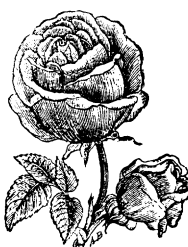
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THE sad affair of Wednesday evening is certainly unfortunate for the good name of our University. The fact that a student was killed within a few blocks of the campus, under the attending circumstances of a general concourse of students will be heralded over the whole land. And yet we all know that no blame in the least attaches itself to the University authorities, and the good name of our University remains with us the same as before. But outsiders, who derive their information from the newspaper reports, who have not been acquainted with the real circumstances of the case, immediately lay the blame at the door of the University. Such a sad occurrence at this time in the University's history is most deeply to be regretted by all.

INDUCEMENTS are now being placed before the students by the annual publications for contributions in prose, poetry, and designs. These competing productions are to be given to the board in charge within a certain fixed time. Now it is to be urged upon those persons, who are intending

to compete for the prizes offered, that they go to work at once, and have their manuscript ready at the required time. Procrastination has always been the great fault with these annuals. The time comes around for contributions to pour in, but none pour; indeed, there is scarcely a perceptible sprinkle. The time is extended, and the result is that the publication is issued one or two months behind time, and a worried, anxious board retire in disgust. We desire to see this year a more prompt co-operation on the part of the students with the various boards. The success of the issue depends largely upon the students' active interest, rather than upon the few persons who compose the board.

THE time is almost at hand when the class of '91 will "line up for the last distribution of its offices." This important event is usually attended by a great amount of wrangling and political wire pulling, and sometimes results in hard feelings among the members of the class. It is to be hoped, however, that this election may be conducted in a peaceable and good natured manner, and that '91 may show her wisdom in selecting the best men for the various offices, while as far as possible dividing the offices equally between the two parties. Both the Independents and the Fraternities have good material from which to choose. And if political supremacy is not allowed to be the uppermost thought and aim, there is no reason why the best men in the class should not deservedly be honored with the senior offices. These persons are to be the representatives of the class, of its achievements during the four years of college toil, and consequently too much care can not be exercised in choosing those persons who will be an honor to the class; those whose reputation lies in their sound intellectual abilities, and in their real capability to fill the particular office to which they may be elected, and not merely in their skill to manage well the political wires, as class politicians. We hope to see '91 wise and judicious at this important time in her history.

YESTERDAY was by far the saddest day in the history of the University. Never before have the students been called upon to mourn the loss of one of their number killed in cold blood upon the street and virtually by order of the authorities. The actions of the city government towards the students for some time past have been questionable to say the least, but now, nothing short of a dastardly outrage has been committed. It is high time to call a halt. Let the town magnates understand that the name student does not of necessity brand a man as a thug or scoundrel. The cause of the students is now the cause of justice. The town authorities have been high-handed and arrogant in the extreme. That justice will be done, there can be but little fear. In the meanwhile, let the students bide their time in peace.

DURING the past week we have received a set of verses entitled "Riding the Goat" which, while possessing some merit, are sadly defective, with a lame and halting metre. The writer said in concluding, "There are many faults, but as this was the work of half an hour, it is hoped they will be excused." While not intending in the least to discourage any rising talent, we must ask our poets hereafter to devote *more* than half an hour to their compositions. Anything worth doing at all, is worth doing well. The CHRONICAL-ARGONAUT is unfortunate in not having upon its board of editors a poet of high renown whose special task it is to rewrite and revise. Therefore we request that all who wish to see their work in print should take time to it and make it as good as possible. Another thing should be borne in mind and that is, we do not publish anonymous contributions.

THIS year we have reason to congratulate ourselves upon the way in which the students have taken hold of foot-ball. Though the majority of the men are new to the game, they have worked hard and we now have a good team. But we should not let the matter drop here. We have good material now to work with, and it is fortunate that a good deal of it is in the entering class. In order that we may keep on improving, practice should not be dropped as soon as outdoor

work is impossible. The Rugby Association should secure the rink for one or two hours practice work every day and the men should keep at work, as has before been said the majority of the men are new to the game. This winter's indoor practice would offer a most excellent opportunity for making them better players, and for bringing out new material. Cornell played all last winter, practicing tactics and doing general training work, and has had the advantage of an eastern trip with a large number of practice games, while we go down to play against their team tomorrow after little over a month of real training and three practice games. This is not as it should be. If we are to hold our own we must do so by long and constant work. The question of foot-ball captain for next year is also an important matter to be considered. There will be no man of long experience in such matters who can fill this position for next year's team. Hence, the wise course to pursue, is to select the best man on the team for the position, as soon as the present season is over, and let him go into training with good coaching. He should make a study of the game in all its details and come back next fall with a decided idea of what he wants his men to do. It is not too early to be considering our prospects for next year, and the mat should be given the attention it demands.

IN all of our exchanges we note with interest that college athletics are meeting with increasing favor everywhere. There are more foot-ball teams playing this fall than ever before, and interest in the game is wide-spread, not being confined to college alone, as has been the case heretofore.

IT has been suggested that the Lecture Board adopt the policy of the Choral Union in the matter of reserving seats for its entertainments. The suggestion seems to us a most admirable one and we would urge it upon the attention of the the Lecture Board. To stand in line for three or four hours of a cold winter morning is anything but pleasant, and when Stanley comes the prospects are fair for an all night's outing. It certainly would be easier and more comfortable to wait in the hall for an hour before the lecture begins than to be compelled to pursue the present policy. We believe the Choral Union plan has

worked successfully, and see no reason why it might not be just as successful in the matter of lectures.

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#### THE WORLD'S FAIR.

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We learn from the *Detroit Free Press* that Professors Kelsey and Rolfe will read papers this evening before a meeting of the Archæological Society of Michigan. This is the second annual meeting of the society, of which Professor D'Ooge is president, and will be held in Detroit, at the residence of Mrs. Bagley. Professor Rolfe is to talk on his recent investigations and studies in Greece, and Professor Kelsey on a plan he has of exhibiting an ancient Roman house at the World's Fair, in Chicago. The details of this plan have not yet been fully decided upon, or at least have not yet been made public.

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#### HONORS FOR MR. STANLEY.

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In almost all cities where Henry M. Stanley will speak, the committee under whose control his lecture will be given have issued invitations to the distinguished men of the place to occupy a seat upon the stage and act as a Reception Committee to the great traveller. We have seen a letter from Stanley's manager stating that in New York the members of such a committee pay \$10 for their badge and ticket; why don't our lecture management take a hint from the other cities and do likewise? Surely, with our Professors and local influential personages we could offer Mr. Stanley as brilliant a coterie as will meet him in any city in the Union. Let our Lecture Board consider this.

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#### THE DETROIT MUSICAL SOCIETY.

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Of interest to lovers of good music everywhere, but especially so to those of Ann Arbor, is the "Prospectus" of the Detroit Musical Society, which has just come to hand. Of especial interest it is to us because our own Professor Stanley has been appointed director of the society, and some results of his work will be seen in the programme

given below. In view of the fact of the prominence given in late years to the so-called "Standard Works," especial attention is given to the works of modern, principally American, composers. Of the four concerts, which are to be given monthly, beginning Dec. 27, the first, well known in Ann Arbor through our own Choral Union, is Dudley Buck's "Light of Asia." This work, representing the best qualities of American musical genius, is so familiar as not to need special mention. The second concert of the series is devoted to the romantic school, including numbers from Hoffmann, Neidlinger, Rheinberger, Marchette, Brahms, and Arthur Foote. It will be taken part in by soloists of such established names as Mrs. Ida Norton, soprano, Mrs. C. Wright, contralto, Mr. C. B. Stevens, tenor, and Mr. E. C. Crane, basso. In the third concert, an especially excellent one, will be presented the "Gallia," a mottette for soprano, chorus, and orchestra, by Gounod; the "Flight of the Holy Family," of Max Bruch, for mixed chorus and orchestra; and the "Christophorus" of Rheinberger, a legend for solo, chorus, and orchestra. In addition to the excellence of the numbers rendered, the society was singularly fortunate in the choice of the interpreters of them, the leading ones among them being Mrs. Guievrá Bishop, a remarkably excellent soprano, and Mr. Charles Santley, perhaps the finest baritone of this generation. The "Gallia" and "Christophorus," the latter of which will be brought out by the Choral Union next spring, are essentially dramatic in their nature, while Bruch's "Flight of the Holy Family" is a picture of that much sung and painted episode in the life of Christ. Last, and perhaps best in the series, is Gounod's sacred trilogy, "The Redemption," the greatest, most dramatic oratorio of this generation. This oratorio will be brought out in Ann Arbor by the Choral Union and full orchestra late in May. We would advise all lovers of good music, both in Detroit and Ann Arbor, not to fail to hear this concert. Another such opportunity may not soon be offered again.

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The first of the theses on Roman life and Archæology in the sophomore Latin classes was given by Mr. E. L. Mason, Tuesday, Nov. 11th, on the Roman Family.

## BOYS IN TROUBLE.

The post-office rushes reached a climax Tuesday night. The crowd awaiting the distribution of the mails was no larger and no more belligerent than usual, but the city authorities had been aroused by the occurrence of the night before and under instructions of the Mayor were prepared to meet any evidences of disturbance with prompt resistance. John Woodson, a freshman medic, was in one of the lines and became the unfortunate object of the marshal's displeasure when those behind him began to rush. He was hurried off under arrest and the incident caused a large crowd to gather on the street. The police force endeavored to disperse the crowd, and arrested four other students and an Ann Arbor young man, pouncing down upon the boys seemingly with the sole idea of breaking up the gathering by making promiscuous arrests. The others arrested were H. L. Crummer, A. F. Merchant, Henry Lerdner, T. A. Chapin and Leo Kopf. The offer of bail for the release of the students was refused by the officers and the boys were compelled to stay in the jail until the following morning, and were then bound over to appear Monday at 9 A. M., on the charge of obstructing the streets. Mr. Woodson is held for disturbing the peace, and his examination comes off Wednesday. The affair was productive of general indignation among the students, and a mass meeting of the laws was held Wednesday at which arrangements were made for legal counsel for the boys. It is generally believed that a strong case for false imprisonment can be made against the city authorities.

## MASS MEETING.

Yesterday afternoon at two o'clock a meeting of the freshman class was held in the chapel to take action regarding the unfortunate death of their classmate, Irving J. Dennison.

The meeting was called to order by the temporary chairman, R. V. Friedman. A committee of three, composed of F. E. Brimblecom, F. W. Battin and C. F. Weller, was appointed to draft resolutions and report at once. Messrs. Hubbell, Barkis, Cadwell, Weller, Bremer and Pine

were appointed by the class to act as pall bearers and to attend the funeral in Toledo.

The class agreed to meet at the hospital in a body and accompany the remains to the depot, Messrs. Ricketts and Robinson were appointed as class marshals.

The committee reported the following resolutions, which were adopted:

*Whereas*, God in his Divine Providence has seen fit to remove from our midst a beloved and respected classmate, Irving J. Dennison, and,

*Whereas*, by his untimely death, in the midst of a bright and promising career, we, in common with the whole University of Michigan, have sustained a serious and much regretted loss, therefore be it

*Resolved*, That the class of '94, mourning the death of its member, extend to the bereaved parents their deep and heartfelt sympathy, trusting that the tender compassion of a merciful Father will console them in this hour of sorrow, and be it further

*Resolved*, That an engrossed copy of these resolutions be sent to the parents of the deceased, and that copies be forwarded to the college papers.

F. E. BRIMBLECOM,

F. W. BATTIN,

C. F. WELLER,

Committee.

## VILLIERS.

The *New York World* described Frederic Villiers first appearance in that city in these words: "Mr. Frederic Villiers, the famous war correspondent of the *London Graphic*, known to London as the *Graphic* Verestchagin, gave a lecture in Steinway Hall last evening on "War on a White Sheet," that was attended by an audience that filled the hall so completely that it extended out into the lobby, where dozens of people stood and read the dodgers on the walls and wished they could get in where the people were laughing so continuously. Lots of other people came to hear, climbed up the stairs, saw the entrance choked with people, and then climbed down again. Mr. Villiers is a delightfully gossipy Englishman, in traveling costume, with corduroy jacket and gaiters, with field-glass, revolver case, and water-bottle slung across his shoulders, wearing the conventional pointed beard of a black-haired artist. The adventures of the famous artist at Plevna, the bombardment of Alexandria, the ex-



pedition to the nigger of niggers King John, of Abyssinia, the march to Khartoum he described with much power."

### THE DRAMATIC CLUB.

After the usual delay attending the reorganization of the Dramatic Club, the plans for this year's work have finally taken definite shape. It has been decided to give two plays about the end of the first semester, a comedietta in one act, entitled "A Rough Diamond," to be followed by "Alone," a three act drama. An additional feature this year, calculated to make the work of the club even more profitable and entertaining than it has hitherto been will be the presentation at the last meeting in each month of a short play in Adelphi Hall, to which only members and friends will be invited.

The casts for the public performances have been arranged as follows:—

#### A ROUGH DIAMOND.

Lord Plato .....	F. C. Smith.
Sir William Evergreen .....	A. L. Free.
Capt. August Blenheim .....	P. T. Wilkes.
Cousin Joe .....	J. Bennett.
Lady Plato .....	Miss A. Hiller.
Margery .....	Miss S. Szold.
Lucy .....	Miss J. McIntyre.

#### ALONE.

Col. Challice .....	A. C. Lewerenz.
Stratton Strawless .....	E. H. Smith.
Bertie Cameron .....	Ralph Platt.
Dr. Mickethwaite .....	S. C. Park.
Maude Travor .....	Miss M. Caldwell.
Mrs. Thornton .....	Miss N. Dunham.

The first entertainment of the monthly series will be "Fast Friends," at Adelphi Hall, November 19. The cast is

Laura .....	Miss I. Z. Hibbard.
Mabel .....	Miss C. Crane.

### U. OF M. SONGS.

It would be a desirable thing if the U. of M. could every year turn out some new and distinctive songs, to be placed in the "Yellow and Blue" as each successive edition is issued. This is the custom in other colleges and the result is a

body of characteristic songs, belonging solely to the college whose students got them up. As the practice accrues mainly to the advantage of the local Glee Club, it generally falls on its members to encourage the work by furnishing incentives to the students to undertake the production of the new pieces. The "Yellow and Blue" has, to be sure, many selections of a local character, but the majority of them scarcely can be classed as "college songs" in the true sense of the phrase. What we need at present is a number of first-class comic songs, perhaps not identified with the University, but emanating from the student body and known as "Michigan songs" or "Ann Arbor songs."

Every year should bring out new productions of this class to swell the number of songs in the "Yellow and Blue" until the U. of M. has as goodly a list as the older institutions. It is in furtherance of this project that the Glee Club, which is in need of material of this character, makes the following offers:—

For the best comic song, \$10.00. The words may either be set to an air, new or old, or not, as the writer wishes—the former alternative preferred.

For the best "gag"—similar to hat or chair drill—full size portrait, photograph, value \$14.00—presented by Gibson.

The Club itself will consider and decide on the merit of the productions, and reserves the right to use all pieces not awarded the prizes.

An arrangement is effected by which the comic song chosen will be published in one of the college annuals. All contestants will hand their productions to the president of the club before Dec. 1. It is hoped that as many as possible will try to hand in some contribution. Members of the faculty are *not* barred.

Dr. Prescott will conduct the Sunday morning S. C. A. meeting.

Rev. Robert Nourse will give his lecture on Dr. Jeckel and Mr. Hyde to-morrow night in University Hall. He comes in the interest of the Webster and Jeffersonian societies, who will use any proceeds in refurnishing their halls. He deserves a large house, although the night could not have been more poorly chosen.

## A FATAL EVENT.

The facts of the lamentable affair of last Wednesday night are, so far as can now be learned, as follows:

On Wednesday last, it appears, occurred the wedding of one of the members of Company A, M. S. T. In honor of this event, Quartermaster Sheldon Granger applied to Mayor Manly for permission to fire a salute. This, as being against the city ordinance was refused, but the company, about 30 strong, nevertheless went to the house where the wedding took place, which was between Jefferson and Williams on Division. The men, provided with six rounds of blank cartridges, marched to the house with a drum corps, about half past nine in the evening. Here they fired several volleys. This combined with the excitement of the preceding night and the anticipation of more serious trouble, had the immediate effect of gathering a crowd of several hundred students about the house, into which the militia had gone. Captain Armstrong of Company A happened to be inside the house and, trying perhaps to avoid trouble, advised the men to go down to the armory. The militia hereupon marched down Division street towards Liberty, the students following and giving the U. of M. yell. The boys were jeering the soldiers who retaliated by threats. No violence was offered on either side, however, till the militia men came to Liberty street. Here, by the order of Quartermaster Granger, they formed in line across the street. No one can be found who actually saw a student throw a stone or use any weapon before this time. Notwithstanding this, Granger, losing his temper probably and his head at the same time, ordered his men to charge the crowd. Several students were struck, none very seriously except Irving J. Dennison, of Toledo, a freshman literary student, who was standing on the east side of Division, near the fence, when he was knocked down by one of the militia men with the butt of a musket. He was assisted to the hospital by his chum, Ford Belford, and a senior medical student, Mr. Honk.

Granger was struck on the head by a stone. The crowd scattered, rallied, and were again scattered by a second charge. Here the police interfered for the first time, and made the company of militia

go down town to their armory. The crowd marched at the advice of Professor Thompson, to the law building, and acting on the suggestion of the Professor, dispersed to their homes. Meantime at the hospital, Dennison's wound had been dressed by the surgeon in charge. Afterward, as he seemed to grow worse, Dr. Nancrede was called in. The skull was found to be badly fractured, and though an operation was performed, he sank steadily until 5:08 Thursday morning, when death came to his relief. Granger's skull was found this morning to have been fractured also by a stone and at present he is in a very critical condition.

Thursday morning in chapel, President Angell spoke very feelingly of the matter, advising the students to avoid collecting in crowds and thus prevent any chance of further trouble.

The matter was at once taken in hand by the city authorities and an inquest was held yesterday afternoon. The evidence corroborates the facts given above, emphasizing the folly of allowing the militia men to create any disturbance in the excited condition the students were in, and the fact that the first violence was offered by the militia men. Mr. Dennison was a mere onlooker, and had nothing to do with any rushing or jeering, which goes to show that the company was not defending itself against assailants.

Several arrests have been made. Sheldon Granger's condition is too serious at present to remove him to jail. Fred Root, a baggage man, who did not belong to the company, but was with them and armed with a musket, was also arrested.

His description tallies with the only description yet given of the man who struck the fatal blow. The third prisoner is Ellsworth Thomas, or "Sucker Meade," as he is called. His offense, however, is largely, it is supposed, one of talking too freely about what he had done. Warrants having been issued for a number of others, who were in the fight.

E. E. Morse, a Detroit detective, is now working on the case.

## ABOUT COLLEGE.

We'll meet you at Detroit to-morrow.

The tennis tournament is a stayer,—no prizes awarded yet.

The meetings of the Philosophical Society are to be held monthly.

Prof. Taylor lectured to his classes in Course I, Political Economy, on Wednesday.

The mayor was hung in effigy last night on one of the telegraph poles on State street opposite the campus, presumably by students.

The annual convention of Theta Delta Chi fraternity will be held in New York, on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of next week. W. H. Butler will go as the delegate from Ann Arbor.

Prof. Ch. Mack, of the Homœopathic department, was very pleasantly surprised last Friday evening by being made the recipient of a very handsome gold-headed cane, presented to him by the students of his department. Mr. Lehman, class of '91, made the presentation in a few well chosen remarks, taking the professor completely by surprise. Prof. Mack is a very earnest teacher and his students appreciate his work.—*Courier*.

The Castalian for '91 offers the following prizes: U. of M. Song, \$25; Design for Title Page, Cover, or College Organization, \$20; Poem, \$15; Story, \$10; Best and most original Grind, \$5. Competition is open to all undergraduates, members of the Faculty and alumni, the judges for story, poem and song being Profs. Thomas, Dewey and Rolfe. All articles must be handed in before Jan. 10, '91.

The Adelphi will give the following program to-night in their hall: Instrumental music, Mr. F. J. Moseley; reading, Mr. G. E. French; oration, Mr. F. J. McElwee; instrumental music, Messrs. Moseleo and Keller; debate, *Resolved*, That the present condition of political affairs demands the passage of the Lodge Election Bill, affm., Mr. G. O. Higley, neg., Mr. M. B. Hammond; followed by a general debate, instrumental music by Mr. F. H. Keller, and critics report.

The November number of the *Monthly Bulletin* issued by the S. C. A. has in it a letter from J. S. Grant, Medic '89, who represents the Association as missionary at Ningpo, China. He says he has become about as deliberate in his movements as a Chinaman; that cholera is raging around him, but that he still does the work for which he went to that land. There is also a list of forty-four persons whom this University has sent out as Missionaries, all but two having entered the foreign fields.

The following officers were elected by the Political Science Association last evening: President, Prof. A. C. McLaughlin; Vice-President, Prof. B. M. Taylor; Secretary and Treasurer, C. B. Warren. The executive committee is to be composed of these officers, together with Prof. Hudson and J. R. Effinger, Jr.

At 4 o'clock yesterday between 700 and 800 students had collected in line on the campus, and headed by the freshman class filed into the hospital and viewed all that was mortal of I. J. Dennison. The students then formed and followed the hearse, and mourning family to the M. C. depot, where they formed in parallel lines awaiting the coming of the train. They then formed and marched up Main street in double file, making a line several blocks in length.

The Webster Society offered the following programme at their regular meeting, Wednesday evening: Vocal Solo, "At the Ferry," Miss M. E. Hobart; declamation, D. O'Brien; essay, H. S. Hepner; orator, G. A. Brown; vocal duet, "Call me back again," Mr. D. E. Beemis and Miss M. E. Hobart. Debate, *resolved*, that Mr. Blaine's position on the Behring Sea question is tenable." Aff., J. E. Roberts and S. P. Harris. Neg., J. C. Boevers and H. I. Sawyer.

Class spirit among the members of the sophomore-freshman class of the "lit" department seems to be anything but dead. Last Tuesday night one of the "green" decorated himself with a fragment of the sophomore flag and went down town to display his trophy as much as possible. His idea could hardly been other than to attract the attention of the sophomore class. When his efforts had finally been rewarded by success and the colors had been taken away from him, he so far lost his temper as to turn the affair into a fight, not on account of the class he represented, but on general principles. A crowd congregated on the corner of Huron and Main streets to hear a large dose of '94 venom exhausted in a flow of words until the aggregation of "toughs" known as the Ann Arbor police force induced the unsophisticated to turn his steps homeward. If latent class spirit is to become exhausted by frequent displays of bona fide hard feeling, it might be well to let the old time friendly rush between the two under classes take place as heretofore.

Oracle contributions must be in before tomorrow morning.

G. E. Balsh '92 arrived last Saturday and will join his class.

Prof. Trueblood gave a reading in Toledo last Saturday evening.

E. L. Miller, lit '90, now of the Detroit Tribune staff, spent last Sunday in the city.

Ed. Mason '93 entertained his brother from Corunna last Saturday and Sunday.

The boards for Villiers will be opened next Wednesday morning at 7:30 at the usual places.

The Pennsylvania Club held a short business meeting, Wednesday night, in the law lecture-room.

S. Potts '92 left Tuesday for the mining regions on Lake Superior where he has obtained a remunerative position.

Tickets for the great rugby game to-morrow have been on sale in the ticket office in the Main Hall the past week.

"Early Babylonian Imprecations" was the subject of a paper read by Mr. Belser before the Philological Society last night.

Messrs. E. H. Smith and Fred Richmond went to New York last Tuesday to attend the convention of Delta Kappa Epsilon.

Keep your eyes on your overcoats and cloaks as sneak thieves are around. They visited a South Division street house last Saturday night.

Some Sunday night in December the Wesleyan Guild will be addressed by Rev. Wm. B. Kelly, pastor of the St. Johns Church, Brooklyn.

The ladies of the Woman's League, U. of M., have been paying dues and receiving badges at their end of the hall, during the past week.

Telephone engineering will be the subject of a discussion to-night, by E. E. Darrow, before the Engineering Society. The meetings are held in Room A, at 8 p. m.

Last Monday evening Miss Emma Ballentine and Miss Bessie Sanborn left for Syracuse, N. Y., to attend the annual convention of the Gamma Phi Beta Society.

When a man throws over a \$1,000 job in the war department for the privilege of remaining principal of the Pontiac high school, he has a great liking for the educational profession. Nevertheless F. E. Converse, lit '88, did it.

Bert Hankerson, of Caro, Mich., formerly a '92, visited friends here this week.

Prof. Hudson lectured before the Political Science Association Thursday evening.

Percy B. Herr, lit '90, of Chicago, was shaking hands with acquaintances here last Thursday.

The Lecture Association intends to open the boards for Stanley's lecture before Xmas vacation, about Dec. 16th.

The freshmen voted to pay the expenses of the men who go to represent the class in Toledo, at the funeral of Mr. Dennison.

"The Fourth Day of the Creation," will be the subject of Rev. Gelston's address at the Presbyterian church Sunday evening.

Mr. McPherson has been compelled, by the size of his English History class, to organize another section, meeting on Monday at 9:30 and on Tuesday and Thursday at 11:30.

Class politics are now beginning to hum. The Freshmen have been at work pulling wires for the last three days. Their election will probably take place one week from to-morrow.

A young man named George Jewell, of the sixth ward, was attacked on the campus, Saturday night, by foot-pads, knocked down with a club, and robbed of all the money he had with him. He is quite ill from the effects of the clubbing.—*Argus*.

Prof. dePont desires that the students who have been selling Choral Union tickets should report at once so that the officers of the association may know the exact number that have been issued. The contracts for the additional concerts will be closed as fast as possible.

A very interesting program has been prepared for the next meeting of the Unity Club which is to take place next Monday evening, Nov. 17th. Prof. Paul C. Freer will read a paper on "The Periodic System of the Elements." Miss Zella Hurd will give some readings, and Miss Lucy Cole will sing some of the old Irish melodies.

Prof. Winchell left Wednesday for Boston to attend a meeting of the Executive Committee of the American Geological Association. The committee is to make arrangements for an international Geological Convention, to be held next year at Philadelphia. Prof. Winchell is about the only western member of the American Committee.

The first social of the Wesleyan Guild of the M. E. church will be held, next Monday evening, Nov. 17th., in the parlors of the church. Every student in the University is cordially invited to attend.

Prof. Stanley told the members of the Choral Union the other evening that they could only retain their membership by punctual attendance, as a large number are in waiting to fill all vacancies which may occur.

The U. of M. vs. Cornell foot-ball game at Recreation park Saturday promises to be a swell society event, as all the carriages at one of the largest stables have been engaged. It is expected that the attendance will run into the thousands. *Detroit Journal, Nov. 11.*

Rev. Mr. Sunderland will preach next Sunday morning upon "Universalism," giving a short of its history and its relations to Unitarianism. In the evening, Mrs. Sunderland will preach upon "What Jesus has done for the world." Subject in Students' Bible Class, "The Story of the Flood."

## ATHLETICS.

The DePauw eleven will play here one week from to-morrow.

Wurtenburg, Yale's quarter-back of last year, is coaching Amherst.

The Sophomore crew won the class boat races at Harvard last week.

Hovey & Chase have won the championship doubles in tennis at Harvard.

The Cornell people are using their newly acquired eastern tricks with great success. Watch for them to-morrow.

To-morrow will probably witness the greatest exodus of students seen here for a long time, excepting vacation times.

In the game to-morrow, Grosh, Duffy, Jewett and Holden will constitute the backs, with Jewett as full and Holden quarter.

Both Rhodes, captain of the Yale team, and Captain Poe, of the Princeton team, were laid up last week with injured knees.

Prettyman, Harless and Duffy have been practicing all week and are in good condition notwithstanding their short practice term.

Calhoun '91, will captain Yale's baseball team next year.

The Pittsburg College Alumni Association team wants to play here on Thanksgiving and it is hoped that a game can be arranged.

The increased size of the freshman class at Princeton is said to be due to Princeton's victory in the football game with Yale last fall.

Pringle Jones, who took George's place on the Princeton team last Thanksgiving, when the latter was hurt, has returned to Princeton.

E. W. Mac Pherran, the captain of last year's eleven, has written the boys some words of advice and in all probability will be present at the game to-morrow.

We hope that in accordance with eastern custom, a drill-master has been appointed to take charge of the "yell" department of the ceremonies in Detroit to-morrow.

Foot ball scores, Saturday: Yale 70, Rutgers 0; Cornell 26, Bucknell 0; Orange 8, Crescents 5; Lehigh 60, Columbia Athletic Club 6; Dickinson 32, Annapolis Naval Academy 6; Princeton Reserves 16, Shortlidge Academy 0; Bordentown Military Academy 16, Pingry School 0; Williams 38, Mass. Academy of Technology 0; Princeton 6, U. of P. 0.

Last Saturday the U. of P. played Princeton and was defeated by the slight score of 6-0. And it is claimed that then, the game was lost for the U. of P. by the stupid judgment of Captain Church. This is the closest game that the U. of P. has ever played with Princeton and it would appear that unless the latter improves rapidly in the next few weeks, Yale will win by a score of more than 12-6 as was recently redicted.

For the benefit of those who are not well acquainted with the game of foot ball, we herewith give the scoring points in the play so that all may thoroughly and understandingly enjoy the sport in Detroit tomorrow:

Safety by opponents.....	2 points
Touch down.....	4 points
Touch down and goal.....	6 points
Goal, from field kick.....	5 points

Cumnock, the Harvard captain is being severely criticized because he has the habit of changing the positions of the players every few days, and so fails to let the men get thoroughly acquainted with their own places.

In the inter class races of the U. of P., Nov. 6th, the '92 crew were winners.

It is none too early to begin to think about securing the rink for foot ball practice during the winter months.

The report of the treasurer of the Yale baseball team shows that after presenting the Yale Field Corporation with \$2500, there is a balance of \$834.67 with which to start the new year.

The D. A. C. game in Pittsburg last Saturday, resulted in a tie score, 6-6. Malley made the touchdown from which goal was kicked and is given the credit for the game by the Detroiters.

An article will appear in the January or February number of *Outing* describing athletics in the U. of M., to be written it is understood by one of our prominent foot ball players.

We learn that seats for 18,000 people have been prepared for the Yale-Princeton Thanksgiving game and there is a strong probability that all will be filled. A seat on the "bleachers" will cost \$1.00.

The team has been doing fine practice work this week and have made great headway. They have been playing against from twenty to thirty men every day and have continually gained in their rushing ability.

The Crescents, of New York City, the strongest combination of ex-collegiate foot ball players will play the Cleveland Alumni team in Cleveland, on Nov. 29. It is quite probable that Ames and Donnelly will play with them.

Some of the foot ball games to take place soon are: November 15, Wesleyan vs. Princeton, at Eastern Park, Brooklyn. November 19th, Princeton vs. Columbia, at Princeton. November 27th, Princeton vs. Yale, (Championship.)

The Ohio State Inter collegiate Athletic Association has arranged a schedule of foot ball games. Buchtel has dropped out of the association for this fall, leaving four clubs, Wooster, O. S. U., Kenyon and Denison. Each club will play four games.

Princeton is making every possible effort to win in the great Thanksgiving game. The following are among the alumni who will coach their foot ball team this week: Bird '85, Moffat '84, Harris '86, Cowan '88, Hodge '88, Irvine '88, Wagenhurst '88.

The Princeton people while admitting their poor play in last Saturday's game with the University of Pennsylvania, try to excuse the suprisingly small score in their favor on account of slugging, tripping and foul tackling of their opponents.

The following men will go down to Detroit tomorrow, and from them the team will be picked: Chadbourne, Trainer, Prettyman, Roger Sherman, Sutherland, Harless, Malley, McCune, Holden, Baird, Duffy, Jewett, Grosh, Dygert, Wisner, and McMorran.

At last we learn why the people in Chicago have refused to answer our repeated inquiries concerning a Thanksgiving game. Cornell is to be in Chicago on that date. The Chicago people it seems are entertaining hard feelings toward the U. of M. because our expense bill for the game last year was so large.

Yale's team is showing up in wonderful shape. Terry, Yale's celebrated '88 half-back, now playing with the Crescents, writes in a private letter, that the team is the strongest ever put out. In order to conceal in a measure their complete style of play, their second eleven has practically played all of their recent games.

The annual foot ball game between Phillips Andover and Phillips Exeter Academies, who were forbidden to play ball together last spring on account of the strong rivalry between the two institutions, took place last Saturday afternoon. The game was a hard one, characterized by much slugging. Score, Andover 16, Exeter 0.

## AMUSEMENTS.

Louis James possesses magnetism in a high degree, can move an audience to tears and laughter in rapid succession. His face is mobile to an extraordinary degree, his voice is flexible, capable of expressing volume of sound and desending to the low sweet notes of pathos. This season, so far, has been by far the most successful of his career as a star, clearly demonstrating the firm hold he has upon intelligent theatre-goers. He has overcome the natural opposition to all new exponents of classic roles, and the admirers of his originality and vigor have grown from hundreds to thousands in every important city in America. Mr. James will appear in Ann Arbor next Thursday evening in "Julius Caesar."

## EXCHANGES.

Out of nearly 500 applications for admission into Lehigh, this fall, only 126 were admitted.

More college students come from Connecticut than from any other state in proportion to the population, there being one out of every 549.—*Ex.*

Advice to freshmen: Honor thy professor in the days of thy youth, that thou mayest be solid before thy senior year.—*N. C. University Magazine.*

"Dear," said a physician's wife as they sat in church, "there is Mrs. G—— *sitting in a draft.*" "Never mind," said her husband, "*I shall cash that draft.*"—*Ex.*

Prof. Henry Coppee, of Lehigh University, will act as president during the absence of President Lamberton, who has just left for a journey through Egypt and Palestine.

Speaking of the habit of college classes using the last two figures of their year, as '90, '91, etc., the *Transcript* asks what the class after '99 will call itself. '00?—*Ex.*

The plans for the new Alumni Hall for the University of Pennsylvania have been completed, and the specifications call for a building that will be beautiful in its architecture.—*Ex.*

## A LAW STUDENTS' SOLILOQUY.

Time—The end of a summer's vacation.

Place—A mountain resort.

"Farewell, a long farewell, my summer girl. To-morrow I turn my back upon Olympus and face 'the world, the flesh and the devil'—in other words, *the law*, once more."—*The Red and Blue.*

You have asked me, sweet maiden, the reason why I write no verse as in days gone by:

The reason is simply this, you see,

My Muse, alas! has deserted me.

For the message I used to depend upon

Each week with its post-mark—Helicon,

Has ceased to arrive as in days of yore,

So I note the postman's ring no more.

And you can best tell me the reason why,

For *you were that muse* in those days gone by.

—*The Red and Blue.*

The total membership of the Greek-letter societies is about 75,000.—*Ex.*

"What a queer name you have, Miss Boogles-peggle!" he said, after he had asked her once or twice to pronounce it for him. "Well," she responded with just the sweetest smile, "you know what you can do with that name, Mr. Smith."—*Washington Star.*

Buchtel College, Akron, O., has a Freshman class of forty-five. The abolition of hazing was celebrated by a "reception" to the Freshmen in the Crouse gymnasium. A stag dance, in which the costumes ranged from a bag to that of the airy clad ballet dancer, was followed by a fine banquet.

Syracuse University is fortunate in the establishment of a new Art Fellowship by Hiram Gee. The endowment is \$10,000. This will enable the university to send abroad some fine art graduates for special and professional work. Such benefactors are of inestimable value to our colleges and universities.

The students of Lehigh will not be able to boast of their conquests among the "College widows" in their College town. Twenty-eight young ladies have formed a society to discourage the attention of the College boys and for the first time in the history of the College, the attention of College "men" will not be welcomed.—*Boston Journal.*

No college man squares his account with his alma mater with the payment of his last term bill. He still owes her more than Desdemona owed father and lover both, and among the most important and simplest of those duties is to subscribe for, read and encourage in every possible way the publication of the students of his own college.—*N. Y. Mail and Express.*

## ICI L'ON PARLE FRANCAIS.

Mr. Mould—"Let the trunk remain here, and I'll come back for it!"

Chef de Gare—"Je n' comprends pas, M'sieur!"

Mrs. Mould—"Try him in Latin, my love."

Mr. Mould—"All right. Look here Mossoo, Requiescat in pace, resurgam!"

Chef de Gare—"Ah! parfaitement! Que ca reste ici, et puis, vous reviendrez!"—*London Punch.*

## CONTRAST.

Empty nests and fallen leaves,  
Dripping rain from sodden eaves,  
Drenched, dead grass, sad wind that grieves,—  
The gladdest time in all the year,  
Then I met you dear.

Bursting buds and opening flowers,  
Birds that carol through the hours,  
Odors faint with witching powers,—  
The saddest time of all the year,  
Then I lost you, dear.—*The Unit.*

Of the ten leading tennis players of the United States, it is well to note that all but the tenth are college graduates.—*Ex.*

President Andrews of Brown University, has proposed a new marking system for the Senior class in psychology. Eight or ten men chosen from the class will mark every recitation through the term. These marks are then to be averaged, and the averages thus obtained will constitute the term mark of the class. It is a novel scheme and will be watched with interest.

Hamilton College now proposes the senate system of college government. The senate is to consist of three members of the Faculty, two Seniors, and two Juniors, one from the Sophomore and one from the Freshman classes. The students, however, voted to give this senate only advisory powers. We hope the effort here at Bates will meet with favorable reception on the part of the trustees.—*Ex.*

## TWO YEARS AGO.

Two years ago thou wert my queen;  
The fairest maid I e'er had seen.  
I gazed with sighs into thine eyes,  
And thought them bluer than the skies.  
Thy smile to me was more than crown.  
Disconsolate I feared thy frown,

Two years ago.

Two years ago!—How long it seems!—  
Thy face still lingers in my dreams!  
The days with me so swiftly flee,  
Yet still I oftentimes think of thee—  
And what a state my heart was in  
And what a fool I must have been,

Two years ago.

—*Yale Record.*

Hereafter at Williams, Phi Beta Kappa will consist of one-fifth of the senior class.—*Ex.*

## SIR JOE.

Ten years ago I met Sir Joe,

A college man was he.

He danced, he sang and games he played;

Oh, with what grace in dance he swayed;

A college man was he.

"Why, life's a dream, dear boy," he cried,

"Well, not exactly" I replied—

A college man was he!

Ten days ago I met Sir Joe,

A family man is he.

He dances still, and games he plays;

Oh, with what rage that babe he sways;

A family man is he.

"Ah, life's a dream," I muttered low,

"A dream? a nightmare?" grunted Joe—

A family man is he.

—*Brunonian.*

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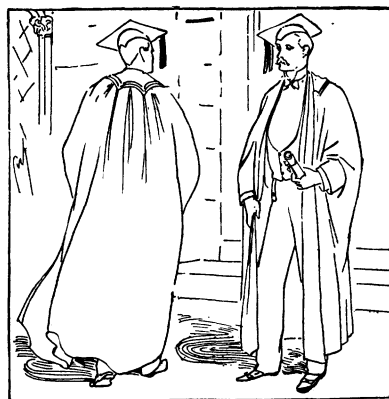
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